SAGAR TOWN MUNICIPALITY.

Notice dated 12th August 1920.

Notice is hereby given to the inhabitants of Sagar, that the Town Municipal Council, desires to impose the tax defined in the rules appended in lieu of the existing shop and oil-mill taxes.

Any inhabitant of this town objecting to the proposed tax may, within one month from the date of this notice, send his objections in writing to the President, Town Municipal Council, Sagar.

Draft Rules framed under Section 46 (i) of the Mysore Municipal Regulation for the assessment of a tax on professions, trades and callings and on offices and appointments :—

1. In the rules the word "person" shall include a firm, company or association.

2. Every person, who within the Sagar Town exercises any profession, art, trade or calling or holds any office or appointment bringing him within one or more of the classes of persons specified in the schedule appended to these rules shall pay tax at the rates specified in the said schedule, as payable by persons of the class in which such person is placed.

3. Persons whose monthly income or profits are less than Rs. 30 per mensem are exempt from the tax.

4. No person shall be liable to tax under these rules in respect of any half-year in which he has exercised a profession, art, trade or calling or held an office or appointment for a period of less than sixty days within the town.

5. The tax leviable under these rules from a firm, company or association or undivided Hindu family may be levied from any member of that firm, company or association or family.

6. When a person exercises more than one profession, art, trade or calling or holds more than one office or appointment whether under the same name or different names, the tax shall be calculated on his total annual income or profits from all such sources.

7. On the requisition of the Municipal Council or of such person or persons as may be authorized by them from time to time in this behalf, every person exercising any profession, art, trade or calling or holding any office or appointment shall, within such reasonable period as shall be specified in the requisition, be bound to furnish a statement under his signature, in writing, in the form appended to these rules showing his income or profits for the required year or years.

8. The Municipal Council or such person or persons authorized by them in behalf, may in like manner require—

(1) the owner or occupier of any building or land within the Town Municipal limits to furnish within a specified time, a list in writing, containing the names of all persons occupying such building or land and specifying the profession, art, trade or calling, office or appointment of every such person,

(2) any employer or the Head or Secretary of any public or private office or of a firm or company,

(*a*) to furnish within a specified time, a list in writing of the names of all persons in his employ or in the employ of such office, firm or company, with a statement of the salary or income of each of the same,

(*b*) to furnish the above particulars in regard to any incorporated company of which such employer Head or Secretary as the case may be, is the agent.

9. On or before 1st January and 1st July every year, an assessment list in the appended form shall be prepared. The procedure laid down in Sections 63 to 66 of the Municipal Regulations regarding assessment of a rate on buildings or lands shall apply *mutatis mutandis* in respect of assessment of this tax. This list will be subject to revision half-yearly or yearly as may be decided by the Council.

10. Notwithstanding anything in these rules, every person commencing to exercise any profession, art, trade or calling or to hold any office or appointment in the Town Municipal limits, who has not been required to furnish a return under Rule VII shall within thirty days of so commencing give information of the fact to the President, Town Municipal Council.

11. Every person liable to the tax who shall change either designation of his firm or the nature of his profession, art, trade or calling or office or appointment or his place of business shall within thirty days of such change give intimation thereof to the President, Town Municipal Council.

12. The tax shall be payable half-yearly in each year in advance in July and January in every year and shall be collected in accordance with the procedure laid down in Chapter VII of the Municipal Regulation.

13 (i) Any person who has paid the tax for the whole half-year and who ceases during such period to be liable to assessment shall be entitled to a refund of not less than half the assessment, provided that no such remission shall be granted unless notice in writing of the fact of his having given up the profession, art, trade or calling or office or appointment has been given to the President of the Municipal Council, and that no remission or refund shall take effect for any period previous to the day of the delivery of such notice.

(ii) The burden of proving the facts entitling any person to claim relief under this rule shall be upon him.

14. Failure to furnish the information or furnishing information which is untrue required by Rules VII, VIII, X and XI shall be punishable with fine which may extend to Rs. 50.

15. The Council may provide a system of Composition of assessments and prescribe the conditions under which the President may enter into Composition with assessees as to their assessment.

SCHEDULE III.

(Section 59, clause X.) Tax on Arts, Professions, Trades and Callings.

CLASS I.

Every person holding any office or appointed, public or private, or employment in any capacity, whose pay, salary or pension amounts to Rs. 2,000 a month or upwards and every person falling under any of the following denominations, whose income is estimated to amount to Rs. 2,000 a month or upwards:—

(i) Carrying on business as a Company	Yearly.
(ii) Abkari Renters, Wholesale or Retail Traders and Manufacturers of any kind, Contractors, Ship owners, Boat owners, Commission Agents and Auctioneers	
(iii) Bankers, Money-lenders, Money-changers and Pawn brokers ...	
(iv) Editors and Proprietors of Newspapers, ...	
(v) Dubashes, Under-writers, Brokers and Dealers in Securities, Shares or Bill of Exchange	
(vi) Practising Barristers, Advocates, High Court Vakils, Solicitors, Attorneys, Pleaders and Law Agents	
(vii) Practising Medical Practitioners of all kinds including Hakims and Vaidyas	
(viii) Dentists and Veterinary Surgeons	Rs. 100
(ix) Architects and Civil Engineers	
(x) Owners and Farmers of Markets and Toll-farmers	
(xi) Keepers of Hotels, Lodging houses, Boarding houses or Billiard saloons	
(xii) Builders and Surveyors	
(xiii) Owners of Mills, Warehouses, Printing Presses, Oil-Presses, Cotton-Presses and other Presses and factories of all kinds ...	
(xiv) Professional Artists, Photographers, Actors, Owners or Managers of Circus or Theatrical Companies, Musicians and Dancers ...	
(xv) Dealers in animals or vehicles, and Owners or Keepers of livery stables or hackney carriages	
(xvi) Artizans	

CLASS II.

Every person described in Class I, whose pay, salary or pension amounts or whose income is estimated to amount to Rs. 1,500 a month. Rs. 75

CLASS III.

Every person described in Class I, whose pay, salary or pension amounts, or whose income is estimated to amount to Rs. 1,000 a month or upwards ... ... Rs. 50

CLASS IV.

Every person described in Class I, whose pay, salary or pension amounts, or whose income is estimated to amount to Rs. 500 a month or upwards ... ... Rs. 25

CLASS V.

Every person described in Class I, whose pay, salary or pension amounts, or whose income is estimated to amount to Rs. 300 a month or upwards ... ... Rs. 12

	Yearly.
CLASS VI.	
Every person described in Class I, whose pay, salary or pension amounts, or whose income is estimated to amount to Rs. 200 a month or upwards	Rs. 8
CLASS VII.	
Every person described in Class I, whose pay, salary or pension amounts, or whose income is estimated to amount to Rs. 100 a month or upwards	Rs. 4
CLASS VIII.	
Every person described in Class I, whose pay, salary or pension amounts, or whose income is estimated to amount to Rs. 50 a month or upwards	Rs. 2
CLASS IX.	
Every person described in Class I, whose pay, salary or pension amounts, or whose income is estimated to amount to Rs. 30 a month or upwards	Re. 1

Note.—The above classification is subject to the following provisions, namely:—

Proviso 1.—No owner of a Cotton-press shall be placed in any class below Class IV.

Proviso 2.—No Wholesale Trader, Ship owner, Banker, Dubash, Barrister, Advocate, High Court Vakil, Solicitor, Attorney, Architect, Civil Engineer, Mill owner or Factory owner shall be placed in any class below class V.

Proviso 3.—No Abkari Renter (other than a mere liquor shop-keeper), Editor or Proprietor of a newspaper, Under-writer, Broker or other Dealer in Securities, Shares or Bills of Exchange, and no First Grade Pleader, Medical Practitioner (other than a Hakim or Vaidyan), Dentist or Veterinary Surgeon shall be placed in any class below class VI.

Proviso 4.—No Boat-owner, Auctioneer, Money-lender, Second Grade Pleader, Vakil, Law Agent, Owner or Farmer of a Market, Toll-farmer, Keeper of a hotel, Lodging-house, Boarding house or Billiard saloon, and no Builder, Surveyor or Owner of a Warehouse or Press (other than a Cotton-press or Oil-press) shall be placed in any class below Class VII.

SAGAR TOWN MUNICIPALITY.

True return furnished by.....as to his liability to Profession tax for the year.....

Name and address of the party	Nature of profession, art, trade or calling followed, or office, or appointment held	Date from which profession, etc., is followed	Monthly income		Remarks
			Included in the last return	During the current year	
1	2	3	4	5	6

Date.....

Signature of the party.

PROFESSION TAX ASSESSMENT LIST.

Division No.....

Serial No	Name of party	Assessment number in previous year		Occupation	Address	Monthly or annual income or other basis of assessment	New assessment			Remarks
		Number	Amount				Class	Amount	Number	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
			Rs. a. p.			Rs. a. p.		Rs. a. p.		

N. MADHAVA RAO,
President.

XX. Read memo No. 934—L. B., dated the 26th July 1920, from the Chief Engineer of Mysore, enquiring whether the District Board are agreeable to bear the additional cost, *viz.*, Rs. 2,301 of constructing a bridge across the halla near Kupparavalli on Nanjangud-T.-Narsipur road.

Resolved that the Board are willing to bear the additional cost of Rs. 2,301.

XXI. Read Hunsur Taluk President's report No. 228, dated the 8th March 1920, regarding the appointment of two peons for the Taluk Board Office as resolved by the Taluk Board.

Read also Seringapatam Taluk Board President's report in the matter.

Resolved that all the Taluk Boards be given a peon each on Rs. 8 per mensem.

XXII. Read Hunsur Taluk Board President's report No. 189, dated the 16th February 1920, regarding the opening of a weekly *santhe* in the village of Ravandur on every Tuesday as resolved by the Taluk Board.

Resolved that the proposal of the Taluk Board be approved.

XXIII. Read correspondence ending with Mysore Division Assistant Commissioner's No. H. C. 609, dated the 21st April 1920, regarding the opening of a Cattle Pound at Dodkatur, Mysore Taluk.

Resolved that the opening of the Cattle Pound at Dodkatur be approved.

XXIV. Read correspondence ending with Hunsur Taluk Amildar's report No. 1112, dated the 29th November 1919, regarding the travelling allowance of the Sanitary Inspector H. Seshagiri Rao for July 1916 for Rs. 13-4-0.

Resolved that the bill be passed.

XXV. Read correspondence ending with Mysore Division Assistant Commissioner's No. O. C. 1012, dated the 9th April 1920, regarding the payment of an allowance of Rs. 2 per mensem to the sweeper at Chatnahalli for cleaning the latrine attached to the travellers' bungalow.

Resolved that the proposal be approved.

XXVI. Read Nanjangud Division Assistant Commissioner's No. R. O. C. 359, dated the 1st July 1920, forwarding the Chamrajnagar Taluk Board's resolution regarding the entertainment of a temporary Shekdar with two peons for collecting the arrears in Village Panchayets.

Resolved that the above arrangement be sanctioned for a period of three months only, the cost being met by all the Village Panchayets. It was further resolved that the pay of the establishment be fixed as follows:—

1 Shekdar on Rs. 30, Rs. 15 allowance per mensem.
2 Peons on Rs. 8 each.
Sadilwar Rs. 2 per mensem.

XXVII. Read Heggaddevankote Taluk Board President's No. 31, dated the 24th July 1920, regarding the opening of a Cattle Pound in the jodi Nerle village as resolved by the Taluk Board.

Resolved that the proposal of the Taluk Board be approved.

XXVIII. Read and recorded letter No. 468-79, dated the 19th June 1920, from the President, Shimoga Town Municipal Council, forwarding the Prospectus for raising a loan for the drainage and water works at Shimoga.

XXIX. Read letter No. 326, dated the 29th July 1920, from the District Medical Officer, Mysore, requesting that the pay of watermen of dispensaries be raised from Rs. 3 to Rs. 6 a month, to enable them to have the benefit of the consolidated allowance sanctioned in Government Order No. Fl. 449-98—S. & A. 23-20-1, dated the 19th July 1920.

Resolved that the pay of watermen be raised from Rs. 3 to Rs. 6 per mensem.

XXX. Read and recorded the following Government Orders:—

1. Government Proceedings No. G. 26855-65—Med. 70-13-28, dated 31st May 1920, passing orders on the report of the Medical Relief Committee.
2. Government Order No. R. S. 2302-07—Ry. F. 146 G. 19-20, dated 30th June 1920, sanctioning a revised estimate for Rs. 25,537 for the survey of a metre guage line of Railway from Nanjangud to Kakankote.
3. Government Order No. R. 88-96—L. B. 97-19-2, dated the 3rd July 1920, directing that in future no local cess shall be levied on (1) the sale proceeds of manure, (2) tolls levied at District Fund toll gates and (3) the market collections.

4. Government Order No. R. 14463-71—L. B. 120-19-2, dated the 30th June 1920, regarding the allotments made to Taluk Boards out of the closing balance of the Bangalore District Board.

PART II—ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

XXXI. Read letter No. 2543, dated the 31st June 1920, from the Secretary, Board of Agriculture, forwarding for the consideration of the District Board, an application from Mr. H. C. Narasimhachar of Honnalgere, praying for a loan of Rs. 1,000 for starting a Cattle Breeding Farm.

Resolved that the application be rejected.

XXXII. Read letter No. 2368, dated the 21st June 1920, from the Secretary, Board of Industries and Commerce, regarding the grant of a further scholarship to one E. Narasimhayya, for undergoing practical training in dyeing.

Resolved that the grant of a further scholarship be recommended.

XXXIII. Read and recorded Mr. H. G. Linganna's letter dated the 22nd May 1920, reporting the result of his experiments in making picture frames, etc.

XXXIV. Read note by the Secretary to the District Board, regarding the allocation of sites in the Mysore City Municipality for starting small industrial concerns.

Resolved that the matter be referred to the Mysore City Municipal Council for opinion.

XXXV. Read resolution No. 2 of the Agricultural Sub-Committee held on 3rd May 1920, submitting for the consideration of the District Board, the suggestions of Mr. M. C. Lingegowda on Sericulture and Sheep Farming.

Resolved that the proposition relating to sericulture be approved.

XXXVI. Read note by the Secretary to the District Board, in the matter of starting an experimental Sheep Farm at Mysore.

Resolved that the proposal be approved and a grant of Rs. 500 made for the purpose.

XXXVII. Read and recorded the following papers:—

(*a*) Resolution No. 2 (*c*) of the Education Sub-Committee passed at its meeting held on 1st March 1920, in the matter of starting Government Panchama Schools in places where 20 pupils are forthcoming and contributing half the cost of constructing Panchama School buildings from the funds of the District Board.

(*b*) Resolution No. 1 of the Agricultural Sub-Committee Meeting held on 3rd May 1920, in the matter of opening Government Sericultural Experimental Farms at Sindhaghatta, Bellur, etc.

XXXVIII. Resolved that the next District Board Meeting be held on Saturday the 25th September 1920.

P. F. BOWRING,
President, District Board, Mysore.

XXXII. Letter No. 468-79, dated 19th June 1920, from the President, Shimoga Town Municipal Council, forwarding a copy of the Prospectus *re* the debenture loan for the Drainage and water works at Shimoga.

Recorded.

XXXIII. Letter No. G. 2591-1-12—Ml. 35-19-15, dated 14th May 1920, from the Chief Secretary to Government, forwarding an estimate of the cost of maintenance of the Epidemic Diseases Hospitals at Bangalore and Mysore and enquiring whether the Municipality are agreeable to meet one-third of the cost.

Considering that the Municipal contribution to the Epidemic Diseases Hospital till it was handed over to the Medical Department did not exceed Rs. 1,500 a year and considering also that the Municipality has to contribute half towards the Plague charges in the City and provide also for epidemics, like cholera, influenza, etc., resolved that the Municipal Council will be unable to bear the heavy contribution of Rs. 7,400 a year as per Senior Surgeon's estimate, but can at the most bear about Rs. 3,000 a year, and that the Senior Surgeon be accordingly requested to reconsider the subject.

XXXIV. Government Proceedings No. Fl. 449-98—S. & A. 23-20-1, dated 19th July 1920, sanctioning a consolidated allowance in lieu of the grain and war allowances now granted.

Recorded with a resolution that Government sanction be obtained to extend the benefit of such concessions to the whole-time employees of this City Municipal Council.

XXXV. Propositions moved by Mr. E. Purushothamanandagiri Goswamy.

1. That a public fountain be constructed in Elemandi Street, Mand Mohalla.

Resolved that this is necessary.

2. That an electric light be put up in Elemandi.

Resolved that needful action be taken in the matter after inspection of the spot.

3. That the conservancy lane adjoining Mr. Makkaji's house in Mandi Mohalla be kept open.

Resolved that the matter be referred to the Trust Board.

4. That it is opposed to principle to allow the Music Institute to make free use of the Rangacharlu Memorial Hall for their performances.

Resolved that the matter be referred to the Town Hall Committee for disposal.

5. That conservancy lanes be opened behind the two rows of houses in Doddapetta.

Resolved that the matter be referred to the City Improvement Trust Board.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE 2ND (SPECIAL) MEETING OF THE CITY MUNICIPAL COUNCIL, MYSORE, HELD IN THE RANGACHARLU MEMORIAL HALL ON SATURDAY THE 31ST JULY 1920 AT 5-30 P.M.

PRESENT:

Rajasabhabhushana, Diwan Bahadur, C. Srikantesvara Aiyar, B.A., B.L., (President.)
1. Lokasevaniratha Amble Anniah Pandit, Esq.
2. Rev. H. Spencer.
3. M. Venkataktishniah, Esq.
4. Mahomed Jaffer Sahib, Esq.
5. Mahomed Sait, Esq.
6. Dharmaprakasha D. Banumiah, Esq.
7. E. Purushothamanandagiri Goswamy, Esq.
8. Kaveripatnam Subrayachetty, Esq.
9. V. Thiruvengada Mudaliar, Esq.
10. Madappa, Esq.
11. Settappa Siddappa, Esq.
12. N. Setwaji Rao, Esq.
13. M. Narayanaswamy, Esq.
14. K. Dhanakotichetty, Esq.
15. M. H. Ranga Iyengar, Esq.
16. Abdul Aziz Pasha, Esq.

ABSENT.

1. M. S. Krishna Rao, Esq., B.A., B.L., Vice-President.
2. Lokahithaishi H. Nanjundaraja Urs, Esq.
3. Sirdar M. Gopalakrishne Urs.
4. K. Chendrasekhariah, Esq., B.A., B.L.
5. N. Desikachar, Esq., B.A.
6. Rev. Father D. F. Laurent.
7. A. Krishna Rao, Esq., B.A., B.L.
8. C. Narasimhiah, Esq., B.A., B.L.
9. M. L. Vasudeviah, Esq.
10. Sowcar Doddiah, Esq.
11. M. Anantharajiah, Esq.
12. A. Subbanna, Esq.

I. Consideration of the following draft bye-laws, rules and amendments duly published under Section 48 (2) of the Municipal Regulation.

1. Building bye-laws.
2. Bye-laws for the numbering and registration of Motor Vehicles, etc.
3. Rules for the assessment of a tax on professions, arts, trades, callings and on offices and appointments.
4. Amendment to schedule of taxes *re* the removal of the exemption from the levy of Octroi on piece goods received by parcel through Post Offices.
5. Amendment to schedule of taxes *re* imposing a tax on carts under Section 59 (ii) of the Municipal Regulation in lieu of Mohatarfa Cart-tax.

Resolved that the time fixed for receiving objections and suggestions with respect to these bye-laws be extended up-to the end of August 1920 and that a notice to this effect be published in the local Newspapers, and circulated as leaflets, besides being affixed to Office Notice Board, as usual.

II. List of subjects proposed to be discussed at the Dasara Representative Assembly meeting 1920.

Approved.

C. SRIKANTESVARA AIYAR,
President.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE DISTRICT BOARD OF MYSORE PASSED AT A MEETING HELD AT 1 P.M., AT MYSORE ON SATURDAY THE 31ST JULY, 1920.

PRESENT.

A. Ex-officio Members.

1. The Deputy Commissioner, Mysore District.
2. The Assistant Commissioner, French Rocks Sub-Division.
3. Do Mysore do
4. Do Nanjangud do
5. Do Malvalli do
6. The District Medical Officer, Mysore.
   The District Sanitary Officer, Mysore.
7. The Executive Engineer, Mysore.
8. The District Inspector of Education, Mysore.

B. Elected Members, Elected by Taluk Boards.

9. Mr. Mallanna, elected by the Taluk Board of Mysore.
10. ,, H. Rangaswamiengar, do do
11. ,, Boregowda, do Yedatore.
12. ,, Appajigowda, do do
13. ,, H. V. Hanumantha Setty, do Hunsur.
14. ,, H. N. Raghavendra Rao, do do
15. ,, B. Chandrasekharjah, Heggaddevankote.
16. ,, P. Narayanasami, Taluk Board of Gundlupet.
17. ,, Dorasamiengar, do Chamrajnagar.
18. ,, Venkatasamaiya, do do
19. ,, E. Krishnappa, do Nanjangud.
20. ,, Papanna, do do
21. ,, Shamiengar, do T. Narsipur.
22. ,, Varadiah, do do
23. ,, Puttasami Gowda, do Malvalli.
24. ,, Birami Khan, do do
25. ,, G. V. Nanjappa Setty, do Mandya.
26. ,, G. Siddappa, do do
27. ,, Ramaswamaiya, do Nagamangala.
28. ,, Kulle Gowda, do do
29. ,, B. Narasinga Rao, do Seringapatam.
30. ,, Devaji Rao, do do
31. ,, H. Krishna Sastry, do Krishnarajpete.
32. ,, Ayachita Narayan Dikshit, Taluk Board of Krishnarajpete.
33. ,, Natesa Mudaliar, do French Rocks Sub-Taluk.

Elected by Municipal Councils.

34. Mr. A. Krishna Rao, B.A., B.L., elected by the Municipal Council of Mysore City.
35. Vacant.
36. Mr. K. Venkatasamaiya, B.A., B.L., do Nanjangud.

Elected by Inamdars.

37. Mr. M. K. Krishna Rao, Pleader, Mysore.

Elected by recognised Association.

38. Mr. C. Narasimhaiya, B.A., B.L., elected by the Bar Association, Mysore.

Nominated Members.

39. Revd. Father Laurent.
40. Lokaseva Niratha, Mr. Amble Annaya Pandit.
41. Mr. Mir Raza Ali.
42. „ Mayi Gowda, Patel, Bannur.
43. „ Linge Gowda, Maddur.
44. „ Muhammad Sait, Mysore.
45. „ M. G. Shamiengar, Melkote.

PART I.—DISTRICT FUNDS.

I. Read letter No. R. 485-92—L. B. 1-20-1, dated the 10th July 1920, from the Revenue Secretary to Government, calling for the views of the District Board regarding the conservancy of avenue trees on Local Fund roads.

Resolved that the present practice be continued.

II. Read letter No. R. 563-70—L. B. 108-19-4, from the Revenue Secretary to Government, calling for the opinion of the District Board regarding the programme of important bridges proposed by the Chief Engineer to be constructed during the next ten years.

Resolved that the construction of bridges be taken up in the undermentioned order:—

i. T.-Narsipur.
ii. Akkihebbal.
iii. Bannur.
iv. Saragur.

III. Read Government Proceedings No. G. 27150-9—San. 22-19-13, dated the 9th June 1920, issuing rules for training of Vaccinators and leaving the matter of granting scholarships to pupil vaccinators to the discretion of the District Boards.

Resolved that two scholarships be granted every year on Rs. 10 each a month during the period of training.

IV. Read Revenue Secretary's letter No. R. 740-7—L. B. 17-19-1, dated the 16th July 1920, forwarding for the opinion of the District Board the draft budget rules for District and Taluk Boards.

Resolved. that the draft rules be approved.

V. Read Revenue Secretary's letter No. R. 1426—L. B. 26-20-2, dated 27th July 1920, calling for the views of the District Board in the matter of making the appointment of the Well-Overseer and his peon permanent.

Resolved that these appointments be continued for three years.

VI. Read letter No. 2667—P. B. 13329, dated the 18th June 1920, from the Public Works Department Secretary, requesting that the question of financing the construction of the bridge across the Hemavati near Akkihebbal may be again brought before the District Board for reconsideration.

The Board resolved that it be pointed out that they have no intention of "Shirking responsibility" and regret that the expression should have been used. It was further resolved that as the Board desire that the bridge across the Kabani at T.-Narsipur should be constructed first, that as one-half the cost has to be borne by the District Board, they are unable on reconsideration to contribute more than ⅓ of the cost not exceeding Rs. 35,000 to the Akkihebbal Bridge.

VII. Read letter No. 765, dated the 30th June 1920, from the Assistant Engineer, Headquarters Range, Mysore, requesting that the work of maintaining the Motor road and Bridle path to the Chamundi Hills may be taken up by the District Board as these roads have been completed.

The Board have got many other important roads to keep up and are not prepared to undertake the maintenance of the above Motor road much less the bridle path which has not been mentioned in the Government order on the subject.

VIII. Read letter No. 474—2764, dated the 29th June 1920, from the Joint Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, requesting that the subject of forming a road from Hosa Agrahar Railway Station to Somanathapur village may be reconsidered by the district as the amount debitable to District Funds is half the estimated cost.

Resolved that the Board would be willing to maintain the road after it is constructed and handed over to their charge.

IX. Read letter No. G. C. 157-4, dated the 1st June 1920, from the Senior Surgeon with the Government of Mysore, requesting to be furnished with the views of the District Board in the matter of revising the pay of midwives.

Resolved that the Board are agreeable to the proposed revised scale of pay.

X. Read correspondence ending with D. O. letter No. 9286-7, dated the 23rd June 1920, from the Director of Agriculture in Mysore, regarding the grant of scholarships to students in the Hebbal Agricultural School.

Resolved that the Board are willing to pay a scholarship of Rs. 10 a month.

XI. Read correspondence ending with letter No. 7804—G. 754, dated the 3rd May 1920, from the Director of Agriculture intimating that the cost of supplying 50 Kannada and 20 English copies of the Agricultural Journal is Rs. 210 per annum.

Resolved that the cost be approved.

XII. Read communication dated the 21st June 1920, from Mr. M. S. Dyave Gowda, Coffee Planter, Mudgere, enquiring whether a Motor Service is required at any place in this district.

Resolved that the Board do not wish to commit themselves in the matter.

XIII. Read correspondence ending with Malvalli Taluk Amildar's report No. 443, dated the 1st February 1920, regarding the rent due from Mr. Vijayarangam, Sub-Assistant Surgeon, for the period of his occupation of the musafirkhana during the Plague season in 1911.

Resolved that the prayer for remitting the rent cannot be granted.

XIV. Read correspondence ending with report No. 17, dated the 8th November 1919, from the President, Mandya Taluk Board, regarding the construction of tunnels on Mandya-Nagamangala road across (1) Basaral Kodihalla, (2) Garudanahalla, (3) Yagatihalla as resolved by the Taluk Board.

Resolved that estimates and plans be called for.

XV. Read correspondence ending with Krishnarajpete Taluk Amildar's report No. 190, dated the 13th February 1920, regarding the contingent grant of one rupee per mensem to each Village Panchayet.

Resolved that the proposal be approved.

XVI. Read correspondence ending with Nagamangala Taluk Amildar's report No. 119, dated 27th November 1919, regarding the remission of the arrears of mohatarfa, shop tax amounting to Rs. 8 due from one Dasegowda of Bellur Union Panchayet.

Resolved that the irrecoverable arrears of Rs. 8 be remitted.

XVII. Election of two non-official members to the Dasara Representative Assembly of 1920 as required in the Dasara Calendar appended to Government Proceedings No. G. 278-338—R. A. 42-19-1, dated the 6th July 1920.

Votes were taken and Messrs. Appaji Gowda and K. Venkataswamy Iyer, who got the largest number of votes were elected.

XVIII. Read letter No. 49, dated the 14th July 1920, from the President, Mysore City Municipality, asking for a contribution of Rs. 100 towards the expenses of holding the Horticultural Show in August 1920.

Resolved that a contribution of Rs. 100 be granted.

XIX. Read letter No. C. 1671-4, dated 20th July 1920, from the Senior Surgeon with the Government of Mysore, requesting to be furnished with the views of the District Board in the matter of meeting their quota of initial and recurring expenditure for opening a dispensary at Bedaguli-Biligirirangan Hills.

Resolved, that the Board are willing to bear one-fourth of the initial and recurring expenditure.